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In re application of: MacLeod et al.

Serial No.

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For: METHOD TO REDUCE TORQUE

RELATED AUDIBLE NOISE FOR

SPINDLE MOTOR

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## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action dated December 6, 2000. Reconsideration and allowance of the claims is requested.

## IN THE TITLE

Please replace the title "METHOD TO REDUCE TORQUE RELATED AUDIBLE NOISE FOR SPINDLE MOTOR" with the new title -- MAGNETIZING APPARATUS -- .

## IN THE SPECIFICATION

On page 4, line 10, please replace the term "Fig. 4 shows" with the term -- Figs. 4A and 4B show --.

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